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For

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**CONTROL METHOD** 

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Darren M. Simon, Reg. No.47,946

(Name of Applicant, Assignee or Registered Representative)

Signature

January 18, 2005

Date of Signature

## <u>AMENDMENT</u>

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the non-final Office Action which issued October 19, 2004, please consider the following amendment to the above-referenced application.

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MAIL STOP AMENDMENT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

This is an application of a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9(f), and the amounts shown in parentheses apply.

## Claims as Amended

(1)	(2) Claims remaining	(3)	(4) Highest number	(5)	(6)	(7)
	after amendment		previously paid for	Present extra	Rate	Additional fee
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